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OUTLINES.

In the trial of Harry Thaw in New York yesterday Attorney Delmas occupied the day with a powerful appeal under the written and unwritten law for the life of the murderer of Stanford White; he declared Thaw entitled to knighthood for protecting American womanhood and asked that he be acquitted; District Attorney Jerome will close for the prosecution and a verdict is expected tonight.——Howard Nicholas and Leonard Leopold, two actors, were sentenced in Chicago yesterday for murdering Mrs. Margaret Leslie, an actress, for her diamonds.——The conference for education in the South, composed of Northern and Southern workers, met yesterday at Pinehurst, N. C., with many distinguished men in attendance; President Ogden, of New York, was absent and sent his resignation; President Judson, of the University of Chicago, delieverd a strong address and a paper was read by Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, of the University of Virginia.——Contrary to the protest of Senator Pettus that Oscar R. Hundey, of Alabama, is unfit for the bench, President Roosevelt yesterday made the appointment.——The forty-second anniversary of the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomatox, was celebrated last night by the Hamilton Club in Chicago, the principal speaker being Congressman Stanley, of Kentucky.——The Russian people's union has decided to have a demonstration Easter day (April 28-29), and if the authorities interfere attacks will be made on the Jews.——It is announced from Chicago that the $173,000 which mysteriously disappeared from Chicago's sub-treasury was stolen by a negro scrub woman employed about the building.——An international conference of cotton growers and manufacturers is to be held in Atlanta October 7th to 9th and foreigners are to participate.——In Washington yesterday the Interstate Commerce Commission decided that E. H. Harriman must go before a United States Court in New York and answer the questions which he refused to give the Commission at its session in February.——Stocks were affected on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday because it has been ordered that E. H. Harriman must answer the questions which he declined to answer before the Interstate Commerce Commission.——New York markets: Money on call, easy, 1 3-4 to 3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 2; spot cotton, quiet, 11 cents; flour steady, with a light trade; wheat easy, No. 2 red, 82 5-8 elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 56 1-2 elevator; oats firm, mixed, 47; turpentine, steady; rosin, firm, strained common to good, 4.55 to 4.60.

For the man who knows how to saw wood and say nothing, Republican National Chairman Geo. B. Cortelyou has a cinch on the cake.

Of course, the Ananias Club would be larger but some men are too slick to be caught in the ante-room while the initiation mysteries are being solemnly exemplified.

A Texas Republican declares that half of the Republicans in Texas are hard working men. Well, they just have to work hard if they expect to root the other half out of their good fat offices.

The Kinston Daily Free Press has celebrated its ninth year and begun the tenth year of its existence. This gives us the opportunity to say that no place the size of Kinston anywhere in the State has a better paper. Kinston is one place that can boast that its daily is a credit to the town.

Col. Bryan declares that if he were worth a million dollars he would willingly serve as President without pay. Huh! Judging from the way some of 'em buy seats in the United States Senate, they'd pay half they possess to be President and serve for nothing, to boot.

Every other day comes the announcement from Washington that President Roosevelt is determined to retire when his term is out. That's not it. After he retires from the White House he may decide to hang around Washington and see that it doesn't get quiet again on the Potomac.

Mr. Carnegie still believes that peace between the Nations of Earth can be secured by constant and well directed conferences. If he takes a notion to finance the movement to bring about peace, there's where he will butt into the opportunity to make the balance of us pay his funeral expenses.

It is now announced from Washington that "President Roosevelt will hereafter fight in the open." It is this bushwhacking business that has heretofore worried a lot of men. If Roosevelt will only come out in the open and stay there with his sign out, men will know how to go way around and leave him there with nothing to do but polish his big stick.

RECRUITS FOR ROADS

Twenty-One From Last Week's Term of Superior Court Begin Their Sentences.

SENT OUT FROM THE JAIL

Seventeen Males For Convict Camps, Four Females For Farm—Point in Favor of Recorder's Court is Argued By Advocates.

Twenty-one defendants sentenced at last week's term of New Hanover Superior Court to terms on the county roads and farm for an aggregate of fifteen years and nine months were sent out from the county jail yesterday to begin their sentences. All the prisoners are colored and 17 are male convicts for the roads and four are females for the farm. The longest term, three years, fell to Charles Wilson for larceny while the next longest two and a half years, went to Peter Griffin, the precocious colored youngster upon whom a judgment was suspended the court before for breaking into the store of Mr. J. P. Taylor, on Princess street, and who, while working aut the costs of the first case with Mr. R. F. Warren, broke into the store of Mr. R. F. Hamme, next door. He has a penchant for fine clothes but will have to be content with stripes for at least some time yet to come.

The prisoners for the roads were as follows: Henry Myers, carrying concealed weapons, four months;—Elliott Gary, assault with deadly weapon, five months; Nathan Hankins, receiving stolen goods, 12 months; Charles Wilson, larceny, three years; John Henry, resisting an officer, 12 months; Will Smith, resisting an officer, 12 months; Walter MacGuire, laceny, six months; James Armstrong, larceny, 12 months; George Lee, assault with deadly weapon, six months; Charles Graham, resisting an officer, four months; Henry Smith, for larceny, 12 months; William Brown, larceny, six months; Tolson Bailey, larceny, six months; Peter Griffin, larceny, two and a half years; John Phillips, assault with deadly weapon, five months; Tom Hayes, assault with deadly weapon, four months; C. J. Parris, disorderly conduct and resisting (from Mayor's court), 60 days.

The female convicts who go to the farm are Martha Pearsall, assault with deadly weapon, 30 days; Sis Baldwin, gambling, six months; Annie Blocker, assault with deadly weapon, four months; Hannah Pollock, assault with deadly weapon, four months.

It will be noted that quite all these defendants are charged with petty misdemeanors and many of them have been in jail from 30 to 60 days at great expense to the county for feeding and housing. It is pointed out in this connection by advocates of the Recorder's Court that all of them would have long ago been tried, convicted and been on the roads with a part of their sentences served, had the court of enlarged jurisdiction been in operation. Not a small per cent. of the cases above were of defendants who submitted in the higher court and would have long ago been willing to have gone to the roads and done service to the county instead of lying up in jail had the opportunity presented itself.

Pounded Their Pastor.

For the second time since the annual meeting of Conference and since they moved into parsonage on Princess street, Rev. W. L. Rexford, pastor of Market Street M. E. Church, and his good wife were "pounded" by their congregation last night. It was a little after 8 o'clock that the doors of the parsonage flew unexpectedly open and the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rexford literally took them by storm with all manner of good things to eat, the pantry being stored for some days to come. The callers were delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Rexford during the evening and the host and hostess expressed themselves as deeply appreciative of the kindness so lavishly bestowed.

"Measuring Bee" to be Given.

A delightful treat is in store for the young people as well as the older ones who attend a "Measuring Bee" to be given Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of Bladen Street Methodist Church, No. 815 North Fifth street, for the benefit of a fund which the church is raising to refurnish the parsonage. All friends are invited and are assured of a good time.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Consolidated Co.—Cooking With Gas.

Parker & Sneed—Special Mattress Sale.

L. J. G. Morel—For Clerk Recorder's Court.

F. T. Skipper—For Clerk Recorder's Court.

Atlantic National Bank—For Business People.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Money on Hand.

Mercer & Evans Co.—Delayed Easter Footwear.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Small Farm.

A. N. DuBois—Office Wanted.

H. F. Wilder—Dwellings for Sale.

S. J. Davis—Milch Cows for Sale.

A PROSPEROUS YEAR

Seventh Annual Meeting of People's Savings Bank Stockholders Held Yesterday Afternoon—Officers Elected For Year.

The seventh annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Savings Bank of Wilmington was held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the handsome banking house of the institution, in the Orton building, on Front street. Mr. Thos. H. Wright was called to the chair to preside and Mr. F. W. Dick was requested to act as secretary. It was ascertained that out of the 1,200 shares of stock in the bank, 1,144 were represented in the meeting, which speaks volumes for the general interest that the shareholders take in the affairs of the bank.

The report of President H. C. McQueen showed the bank to be in a most flourishing condition, the operations of the past year having been most satisfactory in every respect. During the seven years that the bank has been in operation, by judicious management the institution has acquired a surplus of over $50,000, which makes it as safe a depository for savings as there is in the Southern States.

The stockholders unanimously re-elected the old Board of Directors as follows: Messrs. H. C. McQueen, D. C. Love, M. W. Divine, Thos. H. Wright, M. J. Corbett, R. R. Stone, E. C. Holt, Walker Taylor, C. C. Chadbourn, J. A. Springer, C. P. Bolles, Jr., Roger Moore, B. C. Moore and F. W. Dick.

The directors subsequently met and unanimously re-elected the former officers as follows:

President—H. C. McQueen.
Vice-President—M. J. Corbett.
Cashier—F. W. Dick.

All the stockholders and directors of the bank were well pleased with the showing made in the several reports yesterday and are looking forward to the new year with promise of still greater achievements.

BANQUET NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Merchants' Association Will Have Elaborate Affair Next Week.

The attendance upon the annual banquet to be given next Wednesday evening, April 17th, at the Colonial Inn by the Merchants' Association, promises to be very large indeed. Great preparations are being made for the affair and the invitation list will include practically every business man in the city. A number of prominent out-of-town merchants will also be in attendance. The address of the evening will be by Mr. Norman H. Johnson, of Raleigh, general counsel of the Merchants' Association of North Carolina. The complete programme of the delightful affair will be published in a few days.

The address will treat of matters relating to the commercial, industrial, financial and municipal welfare of the city and State. The purpose of the banquet is to bring the business men of Wilmington into closer relationship and to cement further the ties that should bind them together, which is a matter of vital necessity to the business community.

CHAMPION TRAP SHOOTER.

Mr. Guy Ward Here Calling on Members of Local Club.

Mr. Guy Ward, of Atlanta, Ga., who won the shotgun championship of the United States at the tournament at Indianapolis, Ind., last June, arrived in the city yesterday. Members of the Wilmington Gun Club will be pleased to know that Mr. Ward will give an exhibition shoot this afternoon at the traps near Delgado. Members of the club and others who desire to go out may leave on the car from Front and Princess streets this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Ward is the Southern representative of the firm of J. H. Lau & Company, of New York, sole agents for "Ballistite" dense powder and "Empire" smokeless powder, and is pleasantly remembered from a former visit here a few months ago with the Winchester team of experts. The exhibition shoot this afternoon will be free of charge and all devotees of the sport are invited to be present.

Entertainment in East Wilmington.

A delightful entertainment was given last evening at the school house in East Wilmington for the benefit of the very thriving Sunday School there. There was a large attendance of young people and a goodly sum was realized for the benefit given. Ice cream, cake and other dainty refreshments were served and all in attendance were charmed with the delightful affair. A feature of the entertainment was a popular vote in a cake contest for the prettiest young lady in attendance. This fell to the happy lot of Miss Virginia Everett, who was congratulated by her friends upon the loyalty of her friends and the distinguished honor conferred upon her.

Will Wed This Afternoon.

At the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. R. W. Wallace, in this city, this afternoon at 5 o'clock Miss Mary Twitty Fitts, youngest daughter of Captain Francis M. Fitts, of Rocky Mount, N. C., and Mr. Charles Vines Brown, of Rocky Mount, will be married in a pretty home ceremony. A number of guests are here from a distance to attend the nuptials and were entertained with the wedding party at the home of Mrs. Wallace last evening.

SEABOARD AFFAIRS

President Garrett Assures Corporation Commission as to Carolina Improvements

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS

One Involving Bonds of Town of Lumberton—Terminals at Wilmington Will Require Much—Other News Notes From Raleigh.

(By Southern Bell Telephone.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 9.—President W. A. Garrett and other officials of the Seaboard Air Line, spent an hour in the city today and had a conference with the State Corporation Commission on Seaboard affairs in North Carolina in general. Mr. Garrett assured the Commission that there will be no appeal from the recent order of the Commission for the general repair of the Carolina Central division of the system from Wilmington to Hamlet, which will involve an expenditure of about $500,000. Mr. Garrett said that this work would be commenced and pushed as rapidly as possible within a very few days now. He also said that about $200,000 would be spent on the terminals of the system at Wilmington, large wharf property having recently been purchased there by a holding company. In the neighborhood of $85,000 will also be spent for terminal facilities at Charlotte.

The Supreme Court delivers opinions in eleven cases today as follows: Lumberton against Nuveen & Co., Robeson, affirmed; Crenshaw against Street Railway, Buncombe, reversed; Jarrott against Trunk Co., Guilford, new trial; Davis against Smith, Durham, no error; Carpenter against Duke, Durham, reversed; Allen against Traction Co., Durham, error; Cook against Vickers, Durham, error; Main against Field, Scotland, affirmed Kernodle against Telegraph Company, Alamance, per curiam affirmed; Osborne against Railroad, Guilford, affirmed; In re Gales will, Forsyth, appeal withdrawn by consent.

In the case of Lumberton against Nuveen & Co. the legality of $25,000 in bonds of the town of Lumberton for water works and sewerage is involved. The point was raised that the notice of election was defective; that the rate of tax was too low and that water works and sewerage were voted for on one ballot when they should have been voted separately. The court overrules all these objections and concludes the opinion with this statement: "Upon review of the whole record we are of the opinion that the bonds constitute a valid obligation of the town of Lumberton and that under the terms of the contract the defendants are compelled to accept and pay for the same."

General J. S. Carr, commander of the North Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, and Major H. A. London, Adjutant General held a conference here last night and this morning relative to North Carolina's representation at the Richmond reunion May 30th to June 3rd. Announcement is made that a special train will be operated, starting from Raleigh for the accommodation of the veterans, including General Carr and his staff and veterans who desire to visit the Jamestown Exposition will be allowed to go there from Richmond without extra charge.

The directors of the State School for the Blind here are preparing for an exhibit of the schools' work at the Jamestown Exposition to include a large class of the children to be instructed regularly there as an exemplification of the work done in such institutions. There is some difficulty about the necessary funds and a ruling by the Attorney General has been asked on the construction of the act setting aside funds for exposition purposes.

The impression prevails here that while the crop of peaches and other fruit has been considerably damaged there still remains sufficient for a fair yield provided there is no further killing frost.

CONFERENCE WITH OFFICIALS.

Telegraphers and Conductors Want Certain Concessions from A. C. L.

A committee of fifteen from the Order of Railyway Telegraphers from over the entire Atlantic Coast Line system from Richmond, Va., to Tampa, Fla., have been here the past several days conferring with the officials of the system with reference to certain concessions that are wanted in their employment. The telegraphers have been courteously received by the officials and are hopeful of reaching an amicable agreement with the railroad people.

A committee from the Order of Railway Conductors over the entire system of the A. C. L. are also arriving for conferences with the officials and will hold their first meeting today. They also want some concessions in the rules and regulations governing the service. The engineers of the system through a committee from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have just left headquarters after conferences covering several days.

—Miss Marion Yopp, of Augusta, Ga., has arrived to attend the marriage of her cousin, Miss Hallie Davis, to Mr. Albert Dosher, which has been announced.

TOWED SCHOONER IN

Revenue Cutter Seminole Arrived With Laura L. Sprague From Ocracoke, N. C., After Timely Rescue of Crew and Vessel.

Echoes of the fearful storm along the coast the past week or more are reaching Wilmington daily, the latest arrival being the schooner Laura L. Sprague, 564 tons, Capt. Barter, lumber laden from Jacksonville, Fla., to Elizabethport, N. J., previously reported in distress at Ocracoke, N. C. The Sprague was towed into Southport yesterday morning by the United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, Capt. J. H. Quinan, which went to her rescue Sunday morning. In the storm she suffered loss of her deck load and is leaking badly.

The Sprague encountered the storm last week and put in at Ocracoke, signaling for assistance. Capt. Barter stated yesterday that his vessel never struck bottom but that she was leaking badly and that the steam pumps aboard had given out, all hands on board being exhausted in the effort to keep her afloat. The cutter reached the vessel with all haste and found her in a badly crippled condition. With the aid of the Cove life saving crew and the cutter nine feet of water in the hold of the schooner was pumped out and as early as practicable the Seminole proceeded with her tow into Southport. Capt. Barter came up to the city yesterday on the cutter and reported to Capt. C. D. Maffitt and through him the owners of the vessel in Marblehead, Mass., have been communicated with. The captain awaits instructions from the owners as to what course to pursue with reference to the vessel. She will probably temporarily repair here and proceed in tow to Elizabethport, N. J., her destination.

Capt. Barter desires to publicly extend his heartfelt thanks to Capt. Quinan, officers and members of the crew of the Seminole for their courtesy and timely rescue of himself, crew and vessel; also to the Cove life saving crew for their splendid services. Capt. Barter feels especially grateful to all these, as the Sprague and all hands were at the mercy of wind and wave without the assistance so signally rendered.

The following Associated Press dispatches regarding other shipping in distress off this coast were received last night:

Norfolk, Va., April 9.—Norfolk wreckers on the tug Coley, who have been standing by the stranded Brooklyn schooner Louis Bossert ashore south of Kill Devil Hill life saving station on the North Carolina coast, were, as the result of high winds and rough sea, still unable today to get a cable to the Bossert, which is well on the beach.

The seven-masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson, petroleum laden, which became separated in the late storm from the tug Paul Jones, towing her from Sabine Pass, Texas, to Marcus Hook, Pa., was sighted today off the Chicimicomoco life saving station, on the North Carolina coast, under her own sails, making fair time and apparently safe.

Captain Girvan, commander of the British steamship Lord Iveagh, reports having sighted on April 4, on the latitude 29.25 north, longtitude 79.46 west, the iron Norwegian bark Ennerdale, of Arendal, with her main mast gone, bulkheads and deck house missing. There were no signs of life about the Ennerdale.

THRIVING CLARKTON TOWN.

Editor Has Good Word for Bladen's Metropolis.

Editor A. C. Johnson, of Clarkton, was here yesterday. Like the loyal newspaper man, he speaks a good word for his town. He says Clarkton is growing and forging to the front, one of the latest evidences of this being a handsome hotel and bank building just completed and occupied on Monday. The hotel is a handsome brick building, two stories high and containing twenty-one nice rooms. It is to be conducted by Mrs. Carrie Clark, who for some years conducted a popular hotel at Clarkton. The hotel office is on the first floor, and the corner room of the building has been specially fitted up for the Bank of Bladen, one of Clarkton's successful institutions.

Editor Johnson says a railroad may be built from either Clarkton or Abbottsburg to Elizabethtown, the county seat of Bladen, but he thinks the line will be run from Clarkton for business reasons.

One of the coming events at Clarkton is the commencement exercises of the Clarkton Presbyterian Academy, which has flourished right along, and is the pride of the town. It will occur April 24th, and Congressman W. W. Kitchin, of the Fifth District, is to deliver the address.

Freight Wreck on Seaboard.

On account of the wreck of three freight cars near Cronly night before last, the early morning train yesterday from Hamlet did not reach the city until after 7 o'clock yesterday morning and then a transfer had to be made. There was also a delay of about two hours in the arrival of the Charlotte train due here shortly after noon yesterday. No one was hurt in the freight wreck but three cars were torn up pretty badly and the track was made impassable for some considerable distance.

COURT GOES SLOWLY

Only Two Witnesses Examined in Smith Land Suit During Sessions Yesterday.

BAIL FOR LONNIE SNIPES

Judge Long Will Probably Hear Motion of Attorneys To-day—More Jail Liberty For Prisoner Is Under Advisement.

Another entire day in the Superior Court was spent yesterday in the trial of the civil cause of Miss Louise B. Smith against Mrs. Susan E. Moore and others and the end is yet not in sight. It will likely require today and a part of tomorrow to finish with the case, the controversy being one that involves the title to the property valued at something like $5,000 at northeast corner of Second and Red Cross streets.

When court convened yesterday morning, Judge Long held that the counsel would go along with the jury as agreed upon the afternoon before without the raising of any other questions as was threatened by the attorneys. This composes the jury exactly as it was when adjournment was reached Monday evening. It was expected that Mr. L. Stein would be relieved of duty on the jury on the grounds of not being a free-holder, but he had a cemetery lot which makes him a land holder under the law. Mr. J. N. Fennell hoped to be excused on the ground that he had served nearly a week on the Snipes jury last week. Judge Long expressed sympathy for the juror but could not consistently permit his going under the circumstances. There were only two witnesses yesterday and these were both for the plaintiff. There is yet more evidence for the plaintiff before the defendants' counsel will have an opportunity of introducing their testimony. The witnesses yesterday were Captain John Cotton, of Petersburg, Va., and the plaintiff, Miss Smith. The latter was on the stand when court took a recess at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She will complete her testimony with cross-examination by the defence and re-dircet by plaintiff's attorneys this morning.

After the session of court yesterday evening counsel for young Lonnie Snipes approached Judge Long on the question of bail for their client. Judge Long intimated that he would hear the motion some time today. Whether he will be admitted or not or whether he will be able to give the bond prescribed by the court is still an open question. An effort will be made by the attorneys to have the amount fixed as low as possible.

Herbert McClammy, Esq., of counsel for Snipes, asked Judge Long yesterday afternoon for a little more prison liberties for the young man, representing to His Honor that the prisoner is suffering from indigestion, and that the jail life is wearing upon his constitution especially in view of the lack of exercise. Mr. McClammy suggested to the judge that the young man be allowed occasionally to come down in the jail office, which is regarded as safe and exercise with dumb bells or other apparatus to the end that his health may not be impaired by long confinement. Judge Long stated that he was loth to intervene in prison bounds matters and that he would have to hear further from the attorneys on this point. Jailer Capps was present at the conference with Mr. McClammy and Judge Long but is not committal as to his desires in the matter, saying that it is "up to the sheriff."

There are no civil maters on the trial calendar of much interest for today and none of them will probably be reached in any event as cases set on previous days and not reached take precedence, according to the latest rule of the bar.

ANOTHER FROST PREDICTED.

Truckers Received Warning from Weather Bureau Yesterday.

Yesterday it was quite cold again and overcoats and wraps were in evidence by the hundreds on the streets for a second time during April. A minimum temperature of 44 was recorded with a maximum of 52, which is quite unseasonable. But the chief concern in connection with the weather was as to the probable effect of the cold on the vegetable and strawberry crops. This was accentuated by the issuance in the afternoon of a warning from the Weather Bureau of frost this morning. The prediction was "fair and colder tonight with frost. Wednesday fair; fresh to brisk northwest winds."

The truckers generally spent an anxious night as the wind for the night lulled, and it was seen to be clear overhead. As far as possible the growers protected themselves by covering their plants, but this was impossible to any great extent and there is no doubt but that many of the tender plants will be nipped and that the strawberry season will be retarded not inconsiderably.

The predictions of the Weather Bureau for North Carolina and vicinity as sent out from Washington last night is fair Wednesday and Thursday with somewhat warmer temperature Thursday; diminishing northwest winds.

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MONEY IN TRUCKING.

The Charlotte Chronicle of Monday says:

"Readers of The Chronicle are familiar with the big profits made on strawberries and truck by the growers of the eastern section of this State. Truck growing for the Northern markets is of but comparatively recent development in the South, yet enough has been accomplished to show its possibilities as a source of wealth. Some of the reports of profits made are remarkable, but we have no cause to doubt them. Reporting from the trucking district between Paris Island and the Yamasee, The Beaufort, S. C., Gazette says: 'The returns realized by some of the farmers are almost beyond belief. Mr. C. U. V. Benton cleared a little over $4,000 on four acres of lettuce last year. This season has not been nearly so favorable, but it seems probable that his returns on the same crop will show $6,000 profit on twelve acres. When one realizes that this is a ninety-day crop, and his land is in splendid shape for a second crop of corn, cotton or hay, it will be seen that he is making money. The instance cited is one of many.' There is no richer trucking country in the world than eastern North Carolina and there is as yet undeveloped thousands of acres of fine trucking land, the development of which is to be a new source of wealth to the State."

When the lettuce people do hit it lucky, they strike it big but they have their big seasons and poor seasons. However, the surest plan is always in a diversity of crops. Eastern North Carolina not only produces the finest lettuce that goes to New York, but the finest of other vegetable, strawberries, huckleberries and other truck The field here is a wide one and the business has only begun.

BUTTING IN.

There is an old adage about what happens to meddlers but men in all ages have gone on meddling, dipping in and getting busy in other men's affairs. It is modernly known as butting in, but the effect is the same. E. H. Harriman, in his letter to Sydney Webster, of New York, in November, 1905, was telling his troubles, and mentioning what he got for butting in, said:

"The trouble originated in my allowing myself to be drawn into other people's affairs, and partly from a desire to help them and at their request. I seemed to be like the fellow who got in between the man and his wife in their quarrel."

Even then Harriman's troubles had only begun. It was in that same letter to Webster that he wrote of the things which have come up in the past few weeks to mock him and have his veracity bandied about by the big stick at the White House. Verily, verily, a man never knows how long after he does a little meddling that it will be brought home to him. It may be months. It may be years. It may in the course of time bob up inserenely several times and many times. The lesson is that a man should be just as careful now as in the days of old when it was handed around that a man shouldn't let his left hand know what his right hand is doing, or probably the reverse of that.

ROOSEVELT'S DICKER WITH HARRIMAN.

The Roosevelt-Harriman disclosure shows that during the campaign in 1904, Roosevelt was on good terms with Harriman, wished to consult the railroad magnate about running politics in New York, and even wanted his message to be more or less satisfactory to Harriman. As a result of the recent controversy this one of Roosevelt's letters to Harriman comes out in the washing:

"(Personal)

"October 14th, 1904.

"My Dear Mr. Harriman:

"A suggestion has come to me in a roundabout way that you do not think it wise to come to see me in these closing weeks of the campaign, but that you are reluctant to refuse, inasmuch as I have asked you. Now, my dear sir, you and I are practical men, and you are on the ground and know the conditions better than I do.

"If you think there is any danger of your visit to me causing trouble, or if you think there is nothing special I should be informed about, or no matter in which I could give aid, why of course, give up the visit for the time being, and then, before I write my message, I shall get you to come down to discuss certain government matters not counnected with the campaign.

"With great regard, sincerely yours."

The question is not whether Harrimain was requested by Roosevelt to raise campaign funds, but why Roosevelt in the midst of the campaign was dickering with the Harriman crowd, and would get indignant at a hint of it by Judge Parker.

NEW RELIGIOUS FAD.

Elijah Dowie has come and gone but there are others, either charlatans or fanatics to keep things going. A dispatch from Oskaloosa, Iowa, on Sunday, announces that after burning into his forehead, with acid, a cross one and one-half inches long, Dr. Paul Bettix, professor of Greek in the Central Holliness University at Oskaloosa, has declared himself at the head of "Christ's Own Volunteers" for the crusade of the twentieth century. Because of his act and declaration, he has been dismissed from the university, one of whose chief supporters in the State is Mrs. Scott M. Ladd, wife of a justice of the State Supreme Court. Bettix intends to go to Kansas to organize his work. He asks for 144,000 followers, each to have the cross burned into his forehead, and to go and preach without scrip or purse.

After the world has witnessed what Dowie did, we may as well be prepared to see Dr. Bettix get him a crowd together.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—A Chicago woman was fined $50 the other day because she told a judge to go to the devil. You need only one guess as to the way she talks to her husband.—Washington Post.

—The New York World advises President Roosevelt to keep cool and not make himself ridiculous. The idea! His own broncho wouldn't know him.—Raleigh Times.

—"Frost killed the Tennessee strawberries," says the Chicago Record-Herald, "and even the bottom of the box is going to cost money." As lying about crops is confined entirely to the Georgia peach, we have no hesitation in saying that the Tennessee strawberry is all right and unhurt. Up to this writing the crop promises to be large and of the most delicious quality.—Chattanooga Times.

—In only one State east of the Mississippi is there a demand or necessity for much extension of railway mileage, except in trolley lines. That State is Maine, which contains half the area of New England, and has a single county that is as large as the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the mother of Maine. The Kennebec Journal submits that the Maine wilderness will be only a name and a memory if all the railroad building plans are carried out as indicated by the charters granted at the recent session of the legislature.—Washington Post.

—The law requiring the State flag to be floated over every court house is now in effect. As we understand it, the flag is to be displayed at all times except on rainy days. It is to be half-masted on the death of a State officer or other prominent official or citizen. The law prescribes that the flag shall be four-by-six feet and of all-wool bunting, both sides alike. The Mecklenburg county court house with its imposing dome is beautifully arranged for the display of a flag, and the daily exercise of pulling himself up the vertical iron ladders and letting himself down them will be good for the janitor's health.—Charlotte Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Why do you have everything in your wife's name?" "I don't. We have our children in my name."—Washington Herald.

—Wigwag—Love, you know, will find a way. Hardup—Yes, but I'm looking for something that will pay the way.—Philadelphia Record.

—"George, did you cut down my cherry tree?" "I don't remember." Thus we see that little George read the newspapers.—Washington Herald.

—"Yes, I sealed it very carefully and locked it away in my desk at home." "But I thought you said you wished your wife to see it?" "I do." —Houston Post.

—Enough.—"You propose to vote for this measure, Senator?" "Certainly." "What do the people think of it?" "I don't know. My people are satisfied."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Bibliophile (aghast)—I beg your pardon, madam, but that book your little girl is playing with is an old and exceedingly rare first edition. Caller—Oh! that's all right, Mr. Vibbert. It will amuse her just as much as if it were nice and new.—Chicago Tribune.

—"You're as beautiful as—as—" "Well, as what?" she asked, looking down and blushing. "As a soap calendar," he declared. Then she put her arms around his neck and drew a long, glad sigh, feeling that it would be foolish of her to expect him to say more.—Chicago Record-Herald.

—These Rapid Times.—"This is a rapid age, all right," said the man on the tenth strap of the car. "It is," replied the man on the eleventh. "We live too fast and we work too fast for comfort." "I saw an old friend of mine today. He has aged twenty years in twelve months." "I can believe it. I saw a barrel of whisky today that had been aged ten years in half an hour," said the other man.—Judge.

Large Gathering of Railroad Men.

—Greensboro, April 8: One of the largest gatherings of practical and experienced railroad men, connected with the actual running of trains possibly ever at one time in Greensboro, was here this morning to test the working of the Wright automatic safety air brake attachment. This new and really wonderful appliance, the invention of Mr. John B. Wright, of Greensboro, had been tested by the Durham and Charlotte road a year ago, and has been used by that and the Aberdeen and Asheboro road with complete success. It had been difficult to get the big roads to take time enough to give the thing attention, until the Souhern consented to giving it a test on its tracks at Greensboro. The time set was this morning at 10 o'clock. Going about a mile out of the city just beyond the coal chute a long siding was used, and an engine with four box cars constituted the train. The attachment was put on the rear car, the engine being blocked at each experiment. The first rear truck wheels passed the switch going backwards, the switch was turned, catching the front wheels following, immediately there was a zig zag of the car track, the brake automatically operated, stopping the car and putting on the emergency to every car in the train, even the ponderous wheels of the engine ceased to roll and began sliding before coming to a dead stop. The next test was for a derailment. This time a heavy cross-tie was placed diagnoally across the track. The engine pushed the cars with strong force and speed and when the wheels of the rear car struck the tie and jumped the rails to the cross-ties, instantly the wheels of the engine and all of the other cars were locked by the emergency brake and there was no wreck.

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STATEMENT.

Report of the Condition of the Atlantic National Bank, at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, March 22, 1907:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 705,467 49
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		961 59
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		50,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		142,575 00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		168,961 19
Due from State banks and bankers		122,159 48
Due from approved reserve agents		81,078 11
Checks and other cash items		326 25
Notes of other National banks		8,045 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		827 92
Lawful money Reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$34,374 75	
Legal tender notes	43,135 00	77,509 75
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,614 47
Total		$1,505,526 25

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	95,849 49
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	62,638 14
Due to State Banks and bankers	123,539 16
Dividends unpaid	517 00
Individual deposits subject to check	797,518 20
Certified checks	15 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	449 26
United States deposits	50,000 00
Total	$1,505,526 25

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss:

I, J. W. Yates, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of March, 1907.

W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JNO. S. ARMSTRONG,
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C. W. YATES,
Directors.

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This is the advice of a well known local physician and should be heeded by all who are subject to rheumatism, kidney and bladder troubles and especially catarrh. While the latter is considered by most sufferers an incurable disease, there are few men or women who will fail to experience great relief from the following simple home prescription, and if taken in time it may prevent an attack of catarrh during the entire season.

Here is the prescription, which any one can mix: Fluid extract dandelion, one-half ounce; compound kargon, one ounce; compound sirup sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

These are all vegetable ingredients and can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost.

The compound kargon in this prescription acts directly upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys to make them filter and strain from the blood the poisons that produce all forms of catarrhal affections. Relief is often felt even after the first few doses, and it is seldom that a sufferer ever experiences a return attack within the year.

This prescription makes a splendid remedy for all forms of blood disorders, and such symptoms as lame back, bladder weaknesses and rheumatic pains are entirely dispelled.

As this valuable prescription comes from a thoroughly reliable source, it should be heeded by every afflicted reader.—New York World.

House Heating In 100 A. D.

An unusual type of Roman villa has been unearthed on the site of the ancient Roman encampment in Britain at Caerwent. The remains have been found to be in an excellent state of preservation. A departure from the conventional practice of the Romans in the designs of their residences, as revealed by previous excavations in that country, is the provision of extra rooms abutting on the four sides of the courtyard. In the basements two completely perfect heating devices or hypocausts were found, together with the peculiar blue tiles utilized by the owners for conducting the heat from the stove in the basement and radiating it through the upper rooms of the dwelling. In the basement some exquisite specimens of Roman paving were unearthed.

Adee's Shoes.

Assistant Secretary of State Adee probably owns more shoes than any other man in Washington, excluding dealers. He keeps about a dozen pairs in his office at the state department and as many more at his home. Mr. Adee has not accumulated his shoes because of any fad, but merely for the comfort that he has learned can only be obtained by having constantly on hand a multiplicity of shoes. It appears that when he arrives at his office in the morning after a brisk walk from his home he immediately changes his shoes and that through the day he makes several other changes whenever his pedal extremities begin to feel uncomfortable. For the most part the shoes are all of the same general pattern.—Boston Transcript.

Pecans In Rio Grande Delta.

Pecan groves are to become a feature of the development of the Rio Grande river country in Texas. Several large orchards have already been planted, and this season several thousand more acres will be put out. The delta of the Rio Grande is said to be the ideal section for the production of pecans. The trees can be made to bear in three years after planting, but the general period there is six or seven years. On the Mexican side of the river pecans have been grown for many years in the little sections that were irrigated. This first attracted attention on the American side. The demand for pecans is always in excess of the supply, and pecan orcharding is certain to be profitable in the south.—St. Louis Republic.

Curious Method of Mining.

The increasing depth to which it is necessary to go in following the vein of kaolin, or potter's clay, mined near the Housatonic river in Connecticut recently caused the introduction of a novel method of mining. Wells from 50 to nearly 200 feet in depth are driven, and two pipes, the outer four inches and the inner two inches in diameter, are introduced. Water at a pressure of forty pounds per square inch is forced down through the smaller pipe and rises through the larger one, bringing with it about 5 per cent of solid matter, of which 75 per cent is pure kaolin.

Weds Armless Patient.

A remarkable romance has just been associated with the Accident hospital at Widnes, Lancashire. A young man met with a terrible accident at the railway station, Widnes, which rendered it necessary for his arms to be amputated at the shoulders. He was tenderly nursed by a pretty young member of the hospital staff, and the feelings of friendship between them gradually ripened into love. The nurse has just married her armless lover. She has some small private means and intends to work for herself and her husband.—London Mail.

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Notice of Election

FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON AND FOR BONDS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT AND WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter, entitled Towns, subdivision 7, of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905 and in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1907 session, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to Issue Bonds for Street Improvement," and in accordance with the provisions of another act passed at the 1907 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington to Issue Bonds for Water and Sewerage"; and by virtue of the powers therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of the City of Wilmington on the 7th day of May, 1907, between the hours of eight o'clock and sunset of said day, for the election of two Aldermen from each of the five wards thereof; and also to determine whether the City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Street Improvement, to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons; and further to determine whether the said City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Water and Sewerage to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of such bonds and coupons.

At said election all qualified voters of the City of Wilmington shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, upon which shall be written or printed the names of two electors from each of the five wards of the City of Wilmington to be voted for as members of the Board of Aldermen of said city. And all qualified voters who favor the issuance of bonds to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars $(400,000) for Street Improvement, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Street Improvement" written or printed thereon; and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a ballot of similar size with "Against Street Improvement" written or printed thereon.

And all qualified voters who are in favor of the issuance of bonds to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) for Water and Sewerage, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a similar ballot with "Against Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon.

For the purpose of the elections as authorized by said Chapter entitled "Towns" of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, and as authorized by the Acts aforesaid, no new Registration of the Electors for said elections shall be required, but the Registrars hereinafter named shall revise the registration books of their wards in such manner that said books shall show an accurate list of all electors previously registered in their wards and still residing therein, without requiring said electors to register anew.

And the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards in the City of Wilmington, and the persons hereinafter named are appointed as Registrars and Judges of Election in the said wards, to-wit:

First Ward, polling place—Hose Reel House, Fourth Street Bridge: Registrar—Isaiah West; Judges of Election—W. H. Coleman and C. O. Knox.

Second Ward, polling place—Old Court House: Registrar—C. T. Smaw—Judges of Election—Roger Moore and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward, polling place—Giblem Lodge: Registrar—A. G. Hankins; Judges of Election—L. B. Sasser and C. D. Morrell.

Fourth Ward, polling place—Worth's Ice House: Registrar—T. G. Pickett; Judges of Election—J. S. Williams and D. L. Gore.

Fifth Ward, polling place—Market House at Fifth and Castle Streets: Registrar—J. W. Gafford; Judges of Election—T. G. Landen and Thomas Lossen.

For the purpose of allowing any elector, residing in any of the wards of said city, and entitled to register, whose name has never before been registered, and does not appear in the revised list, to register, the Registrars in each ward between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. on the 19th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th days of April, 1907, and between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. on Saturdays, the 20th and 27th days of April, 1907, shall keep open the registration books of said ward for the registration of any new elector as aforesaid; and on the second Saturday before election day, to-wit, the 27th day of April, 1907, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. the registration books shall be kept open at the polling places in each ward for the inspection of the electors of said ward and any of the electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said book.

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, this the 3rd day of April, 1907.

JNO. J. FOWLER, City Clerk and Treasurer.
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For Clerk Recorder's Court.

Subject to the will of the people to be expressed at the polls May 7th.

WM. SLOAN HUGGINS.

The Morning Star.

Wednesday, April 10, 1907

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, April 10, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Tuesday, April 9:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 46 degrees; at 8. P. M., 49 degrees; maximum, 52 degrees; minimum, 44 degrees, mean 48 degrees.

Rainfall for the day .04; rainfall for the month, 1.71 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Monday 23 feet.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, warmer Thursday; diminishing northwest winds.

Port Almanac—April 10.

Sun Rises .. ..5:34 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:29 P. M.
Day's Length .. .. ..12 hrs. 49 min.
High water at Southport 6.56 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 9:26 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. E. J. Cox, of Clarkton, was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. D. B. Johnson, of Tomahawk, N. C., was in the city yesterday.

—Friends of Mrs. Eben Piner will regret to know that she is ill at her home on Chestnut street.

—Mr. N. J. Autry, of Atkinson, N. C., was in the city yesterday making business calls.

—Mr. George Poindexter, of Charlotte, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. M. A. Jones, of Sanford, was in the city yesterday, making business calls.

—Mr. Thomas B. Carr, of Fayetteville, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. K. C. Barrett and J. G. Tooley, of Rock Mount, were registered at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. P. Adams, of Raleigh, arrived last evening and is a guest at The Orton.

—Capt. John W. Plummer returned yesterday from a visit to his former home at Maxton, N. C.

—Mrs. A. J. Retez and daughter, Miss Atwood T., and Mrs. Lillian Retez, of New York, are visiting Mrs. J. A. McIntyre.

—Mr. Charles V. Brown and Mr. H. M. Avent and wife, of Rock Mount, were guests at The Orton last evening.

—The Star regrets to learn that Captain D. S. Bender, for many years a member of the Wilmington police force, is quite sick at his home, No. 618 Castle street.

—Mr. A. C. Johnston, editor of the Clarkton Express, one of the best weeklies printed in the East, was in the city yesterday on a business trip and was a pleasant visitor at the Star office.

—Mrs. S. Blake Willsden, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting her father, Mr. G. M. Altaffer, No. 105 North Seventh street, and other relatives in this city. She is being pleasantly greeted by her many friends in Wilmington.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hardy L. Fennell and daughter, Miss Charlotte, leave this morning for Greenville, N. C., where they will visit friends and relatives and be present at the marriage next Wednesday of Miss Nina James, an attractive lady of Greenville, and Mr. Charlie S. Skinner, of New York. The ceremony will be performed at 2:30 o'clock, Mr. Skinner and bride leaving immediately thereafter for an extended wedding tour.

MARRIED LAST EVENING

Miss Ella L. Hawes the Bride of Mr. Joseph B. Vaught.

A marriage of much interest to many friends in Wilmington and elsewhere was that of Miss Ella L. Hawes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hawes, of Funston, N. C., and Mr. J. B. Vaught, a popular young salesman of this city, the ceremony having been performed last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the parsonage of Brooklyn Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. J. A. McKaughan, officiating. It was a very quiet affair and only a few very intimate friends were present. The bride was becomingly costumed in white silk and was attended as maid of honor by Miss Dena Stanley. The groom was attended as best man by his friend, Mr. A. D. Rich. After receiving the congratulations of those assembled Mr. and Mrs. Vaught repaired to No. 207 Church street which will be their home in the future. They will leave at 5:40 o'clock this morning on the southbound train for a wedding tour to Savannah and other cities south.

Mr. Vaught is employed as a salesman in the clothing department of Mr. George O. Gaylord's store and the bride was formerly one of the popular salesladies in the same establishment. They have a host of friends who will extend best wishes upon

NEW LUMBERTON ROAD

First Locomotive for Virginia and Carolina Southern Railway.

The Fayetteville Observer of Monday afternoon has the following with reference to the new railroad building from Lumberton to Fayetteville:

"The first engine for the new railroad which is bing built from Lumberton this way came into Fayetteville Friday afternoon and spent the night, leaving Saturday morning attached to a local via Pembroke. This engine is number 25 and one of the latest improved. We hope to see this engine coming to our city over the new road before a great while. A part of the iron is in Wilmington now for laying the track and another lot on the way. The road will begin business in a few days which is good news to its many friends all along the way."

LOCAL DOTS.

—Services, First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8 o'clock, Odd Fellows' Building, second floor. All are invited.

—There were only three minor cases in the police court yesterday. The defendants were let off with the costs.

—The schooner F. C. Pendleton cleared yesterday for Portland, Me., with cargo of 382,915 feet lumber, consigned by the Cape Fear Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—Mr. W. M. Cumming yesterday reminded a reporter that the day was the anniversary of General Lee's surrender. Few people, perhaps, recalled the fact, although the birthday of the peerless leader is so generally celebrated here.

—The opening banquet of the Improved Order of Red Men in their handsome new wigwam, on North Front street, will be given tonight and it promises to be a most delightful affair. Admission will be by card only.

—Mr. J. D. H. Klander, Sr., registrar for the first division of the Fifth ward, will have the registration books open for the Recorder's Court election every day during the period at Barker's store, No. 619 South Fifth street, and on Saturdays at the Fifth ward market, Fifth and Castle streets.

—Upon representation yesterday by Dr. T. M. Green to Sheriff Cowan that Henry Howe, a young colored man living at 116 Castle street, is insane and likely to become dangerous, Deputy Sheriffs Thomas Piver and W. H. Howe went to the man's home and took him in custody. A commission of lunacy will probably pass upon his case today.

—Grand Orator H. E. Bonitz, Dr. S. Mendelsohn, grand representative from Cornelius Harnett Council, and Mr. James S. Hooper, grand representative from Carolina Council, left yesterday for Raleigh to attend the Grand Council of the Royal Arcanum. Mr. N. Jacobi, one of the oldest members of the order in the State also expects to attend the sessions of the Grand Council.

—Elsewhere in today's paper will be found the announcement of Mr. L. J. G. Morel as a candidate for clerk of the Recorder's Court proposed to be established in Wilmington in the election in the county on the seventh of May. Mr. Morel is engaged in an aggressive campaign for the position and has promises of strong support from all the wards, precincts and townships of New Hanover.

—The Raleigh News and Observer of yesterday says: "Mr. S. A. L. Johnson, of Abbottsburg, was in the city yesterday. He says elections are to be held in Abbottsburg and Elizabethtown on the question of issuing bonds to raise funds to contribute to the building of a railroad between those towns. The Corporation Commission some time ago ordered the Seaboard Air Line to build a depot at Abbottsburg."

—Mr. F. T. Skipper announces his candidacy for clerk of the Recorder's Court which it is proposed to establish in the county in the election to be held on May 7th. Mr. Skipper has long been identified with the police administration of the city and for two years performed with great satisfaction the duties of clerk of the Mayor's court. He also has knowledge of the law and a wide acquaintance with court records.

JAILED FOR SIX MONTHS.

Deserting Seaman from Revenue Cutter Committed Here Yesterday.

Thos. Poplan, white, an able-bodied seaman on the United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, was committed to the New Hanover county jail for six months yesterday under sentence from a General Revenue Cutter Service Court convened on board the ship by order of the Department on March 29th, the charge having been desertion. The court was composed of First Lieutenant Chas. Satterlee, president; Second Lieutenant T. G. Crapster, member, and Third Lieutenant E. D. Jones, recorder. The findings of the court were that the prisoner is guilty and that he be confined in jail for six months, being dishonorably discharged from the service at the end of that time.

Poplan deserted the cutter here a few weeks ago and shipped on a trading vessel bound from Wilmington to Georgetown, S. C. After he had gone the cutter officers learned of the whereabouts of the seaman and immediately put to sea after the trading vessel and took the seaman from aboard, returning him to Wilmington, their happy union.

New Seaboard City Ticket Agent.

Mr. L. O. Reavis, of Charlotte, who succeeds Mr. W. B. Rose as city ticket agent of the Seaboard Air Line in this city, is expected today or tomorrow to take up his new duties. Mr. Rose leaves this morning for High Point, N. C., and will take a position as travelling salesman for the Tomlinson Chair Company there. He has many friends here who wish him "good luck." Mr. Reavis was formerly depot ticket agent of the Seaboard in Raleigh but has lately been with the North Carolina Cotton Oil Company in Charlotte. He is a first-class ticket and route man and will be welcomed to Wilmington by the travelling public and residents generally.

Returned to Hospital.

Mr. T. S. McManus, local manager for the Bell Telephone Company who was so severely injured in a runaway on Market street last week, was able to be out Monday, but he improved so slowly that, upon the advice of his physician, he returned to the hospital. He will be confined there for several days yet. His friends will be glad to know that his injuries, while quite severe, are by no means permanent.

CLERK, RECORDER'S COURT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Recorder's Court to be voted upon by the people of the county on May 7th, promising if elected to fill the duties of the position faithfully and well.

L. J. G. MOREL.

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The Theatre

Victor's Royal Venetian band will make its initial appearance at the Academy tonight, giving a splendid concert. The band is now on a short Southern tour and comes to the local play house under a guarantee from the management. The program for tonight will be a fine one and will include popular airs as well as classical compositions. The soloist will be Miss May Arno, a soprano singer of note, and she will render several superb numbers.

The concert by Victor's band will be of great interest to local music lovers and the audience will, no doubt, be a large one. By special arrangements the price of seats has been made $1. These seats are now on sale at Plummer's.

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Monte Cristo—In the minds of American theatre-goers, James O'Neill bodies forth the ideal conception of Dumas' hero, the Count de Monte Cristo, and it is with more than a passing regret that the announcement has been received that he will, in all probability, relegate the part of Edmund Dantes in "Monte Cristo" to the cherished past at the end of the present season. During the last score of years Mr. O'Neill has played the part in the neighborhood of 5,000 times, but repetition has not wearied him of his role nor time taken the edge from his fine, artistic temperament. His performance is as fresh and virile as when he was making his reputation, it is mellowed and dignified by the consummation of powers of a great actor. James O'Neill will be seen at the Academy tomorrow night in a sensational, spectacular production of "Monte Cristo." Seats went on sale this morning.

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The Clansman—Unlike certain dramas which appeal chiefly to limited artistic or literary sets, "The Clansman" is a play for the millions. Every American citizen wishes to know how the South shook off the grip of the carpetbaggers and the negro and established white supremacy. This is what "The Clansman" tells with tragic force and thrilling power, interspersed with the quieter but delightful scenes of life in the Southland in which laughter and tears intermingle. It has already obtained a vogue similar to those of "Shore Acres," "Old Homestead" and other great American plays, but it will last longer than them because of its fearless and trenchant treatment of the great negro problem. "The fierce, fascinating Clansman," as a celver critic called it, will be again on view at the Academy Saturday matinee and night. Seats for both performances will be on sale tomorrow.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Statement From Board of Deacons Regarding Monday Night Meeting.

With reference to a news item voluntarily offered the Star in good faith in regard to the congregational meeting of the First Baptist Church Monday night and published in these columns yesterday morning, the paper has received the following communication from the Board of Deacons of the church, which is published cheerfully as giving the entire history of the matter in question:

"First Baptist Church,
"April 9th, 1907.

"Editor Morning Star:

"Our attention has been called to an article appearing in this morning's issue of your paper under the caption "Congregational Meeting First Baptist Church, Officers for Ensuing Term." We beg to reply to this article because it is misleading and ask that you print the following:

"'At the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning last, our pastor stated in his sermon that he would embody in his monthly report to the church at the regular monthly business meeting Monday night, a recommendation. He discussed the recommendation at length, giving objections to it as well as reasons why the church might adopt it. The church at the regular session Monday night received the report and adopted the recommendation unanimously. Before the vote was taken there was one member who objected or discussed the advisability of not adopting the recommendation. The following is a copy of the recommendation as taken from the pastor's report:

"'I recommend that the church instruct its committee on nominations to nominate entirely new secular officers and standing committees for the next year unless it be some exceptional case, where in their judgment it would be wise to leave a brother on his present work. I would not insist on this recommendation if it causes friction or bitter controversy, or if the church thinks the move an unwise one.'

"'Thanking you in advance for this courtesy, we are

"Your respectfully,

"BOARD OF DEACONS OF FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH."

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Fine Cambric skirts deep flounce with 4 rows wide Lace Insertion and wide lace Ruffle at $2.98, regular price $3.50.
Bleached Muslin Corset Covers, Insertion, Torchon Lace Yoke and sleeves at this sale 25c.
Cambric and Nainsook Corset Covers Embroidered Front with Lace Insertion and Lace edge Yoke, 98c and $1.25.

Night Gowns Bleached Muslin Round V or High Neck Lace and Embroid ered, this sale 98c.
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Will Be Compelled to Answer Questions of Inter-State Commerce Commission.

NO CLAM BUSINESS GOES

So It Was Decided in Washington Yesterday—Harriman Shirked In February—Will be Cited Before United States Court.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, April 9.—According to a decision reached by the Interstate Commerce Commission today, E. H. Harriman will be made to appear in a United States court in the State of New York in answer to proceedings to be instituted to compel him to answer certain questions which he refused to answer when he was on the stand at the recent hearing by the Commission in New York. Numerous conferences have been held on the subjects by the members of the Commission in anticipation of this action which will be brought as soon as Messrs. Kellog and Severance, special counsel, can prepare the case for submission to the court.

The hearing before which Mr. Harriman appeared was held in the latter part of February and it was in connection of certain transactions of Union Pacific that Mr. Harriman on advice of counsel, refused to answer the questions put to him. It was brought out in the testimony that the Union Pacific owned a large amount of Southern Pacific stocks. Mr. Harriman was asked whether any, and if so, how much of that stock belonged to himself, when he bought it, and what price he paid for it, but he declined to answer.

Another question which he refused to answer and upon which the Commission desires light, was whether or not any of the directors of the Union Pacific were interested in the sale of certain shares of stock of the New York Central Railroad at the time they were sold to the Union Pacific.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Prices Weakened Because of Rumors About E. H. Harriman.

New York, April 9.—The character of the operations in stocks today continued to suggest the dominance of professionals in the dealings. Transactions were conducted with signs of organization and concert and were largely congested in a few stocks usually favorites in such operations. The market lacked breadth and complaints from the commission houses of the small orders for execution showed that there was a small general participation in the market. The market was much the same as that of yesterday except that the advance came first followed by reaction. The stocks which were of most influence in the leadship of the early advances were subject to special influences, largely in the shape of unconfirmed conjectures. American Smelting was a conspicuous feature and responded to very positive assertions that an advance in the dividend rate to 10 per cent. had been dtermined upon. There also was talk of a probable coming increase in the dividend on United States Steel. No authority could be found for these reports.

The strength of the market was quite general the early part of the day and the development of marked weakness in the Southern Railway stocks came while strength was still marked in the rest of the market. The fall in those stocks suggested a renewal of the kind of liquidation which was in force last month and aroused some disquietude, and the whole market was not long in responding.

The later weakness of the market was aggravated by reports from Washington that the deposit of customs receipts with the banks was to be discontinued for the present, and also that proceedings would be had to compel E. H. Harriman to answer questions to which he refused to reply at the Interstate Commerce hearing. The closing tone was easy. Bonds were heavy. Total sales, par value, $1,888,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today, 1,080,000.

MURDERED HER FOR DIAMONDS.

Two Theatrical Men Convicted for Killing Chicago Actress.

Chicago, April 9.—Howard Nicholas and Leonard Leopold were today convicted of the murder of Mrs. Margaret Leslie, the actress. Nicholas was sentenced to life imprisonment whole Leopold was given a fourteen-year term in prison. Robbery is said to have been the motive for the crime.

On October 19 last year, the dead body of Mrs. Leslie was found at the room at the Palace Hotel with an undergarment around her neck. The room was filled with gas which came from a jet. A verdict of suicide by gas poisoning was rendered by a coroner's jury. The finding, however, did not meet the approval of the woman's father, Marvin P. Woody, of South Bend, Ind., and he demanded that the case be reopened. Nicholas, who had been connected with Mrs. Leslie in several theatrical ventures, was arrested as a suspect. He made a confession to the police, in which he implicated Leopold. He admitted having killed Mrs. Leslie to rob her of her diamonds, but laid the burden of the crime on Leopold. Some of the diamonds which had belonged to Mrs. Leslie were found on Nicholas and Leopold.

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ANNIVERSARY OF APPOMATOX

Eloquent Kentucky Congressman Speaker at Chicago Celebration.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Chicago, April 9.—Appomattox Day was celebrated here tonight by the Hamilton Club with a banquet at the Auditorium Hotel. The programme included addresses by Congressman F. W. Cushman, of Washington; Congressman A. O. Stanley, of Kentucky, and former U. S. Senator William E. Mason, of Illinois.

Publication over the election of a Republican mayor in Chicago was made a feature of the banquet, although Fred A. Russe, the mayor, was unable to attend on account of sickness. Congressman Cushman responded to the toast "Appomattox Day."

The next speaker was Congressman Stanley, who paid an eloquent tribute to Lee and Grant the leaders of the two armies whose contentions ceased at Appomattox 42 years ago today, saying:

"I rejoice that tonight upon the anniversary of that fateful day the South contemplates the scene without shame and the North without exultation.

"Many have been the reasons for the war assigned by statesmen and historians, yet they are all but the many results of the one great cause. The North had ceased to know the South; the South was a stranger to the North. Had New York and New Orleans, Richmond and Philadelphia, Chicago and Memphis been connected by great lines fifty years ago, the Chamber of Commerce of those cities would have averted a catastrophe which baffled the wisdom, the eloquence and the patriotism of sages and statesmen.

"The North and the South, I believe, soon will be bound by ties stronger than girders of steel. The Mississippi river converted into a deep waterway to the Gulf and the canalization of the Ohio from Pittsburg to Cairo, will open a new chapter in the industrial history of the world. And with the completion of the Panama canal, what an indescribable vista of commercial and maritime sumpremacy opens before us.

"North and South have more than forgotten the losses and wounds and anger of yesterday, for the all sufficient reason—alike glorying in their strength, blessed with prosperity and wealth and exultant in the anticipation of a still brighter day—they simply have no time to remember."

ROOSEVELT FOR THIRD TERM.

Endorsed Almost Unanimously by Minnesota Legislature.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

St. Paul, Minn., April 9.—The Minnesota House of Representative today, with rising vote, which the Speaker announced was "nearly unanimous," passed concurrent resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt for a third term. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, by his wise and courageous leadership the present President of the United States has become prominently identified with the cause of political, social and business reforms; and

"Whereas, the great work of which he has been and now is the most distinguished exponent is yet unfinished, and

"Whereas, with a singular unanimity the great body of the people of the United States, without regard to political affiliation, have implicit confidence in his great ability, unselfish patriotism and unswerving fidelity to his exalted trust; therefore,

"Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the best interests of the general government and the successful establishment of the great public measures which have been inaugurated by the present national administration demand the renomination and reelection of Theodore Roosevelt to the Presidency of the United States."

The only Republican opposition came from Representative Lennon, of Minneapolis, who said he was not for forcing a third term on any man. He believed there was other good material in the party.

During the taking of the vote the Democratic members remained seated.

NEGRO WOMAN STOLE $173,000

Mysterious Robbery of Sub-Treasury at Chicago Explained.

Chicago, April 9.—The Evening Journal says that the mystery surrounding the theft of $173,000 from the United States sub-treasury here has been cleared. The alleged thief is said to be a negro scrub woman whom the secret service officers have taken charge of and are endeavoring to get from her some trace of the missing money. The clew to the woman is said to have been obtained from the display of a $1,000 bill by a negro in a saloon. A search warrant was issued and after a thorough search of the premises Captain Porter, head of the secret service bureau, made the following announcement:

"We found absolutely no trace of the money and we are no nearer a solution of the theft than ever before."

SNOW STORM IN VIRGINIA.

Telephone and Telegraph Service Is Almost Paralyzed.

Winchester, Va., April 9.—A terrific snow storm prevailed in the valley of Virginia early today. Telephone and telegraphic service is almost paralyzed, poles and wires being down in all directions. The electric light and power plant in Winchester is completely out of service and it will be several days before prevailing conditions can be remedied.

A newspaper at Christiana, Norway, announces that President Roosevelt, who was awarded the Nobel peace prize last year, will have to deliver a lecture at Christiana in March, 1909, in order to comply with the rules affecting the holders of the Nobel prizes.

Columbus had just landed. Meeting a great Indian chief with a package under his arm he asked him what it was. "Great Medicine, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea" said the Injun. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.

FAYETTEVILLE TRUCKERS

Lodge Complaint as to Poor Transportation Facilities.

The Fayetteville Observer of Monday afternoon has the following:

"The local truckers have had great trouble ever since the season opened in making their shipments north. The express company does not leave near enough cars here to be loaded, and as No. 80, the northbound midday train will stop here only 8 minutes, hundreds of baskets of lettuce and other truck, are frequently left behind. In consequence of this state of affairs, the Truckers' Association telphoned Hon. Franklin McNeill, chairman of the Corporation Commission, to come to Fayetteville at once. They received a reply at noon from Mr. McNeill saying that he would arrive in Fayetteville on the 4:30 o'clock train this afternoon. We hope that Chairman McNeill will find a way to put a stop to this most unsatisfactory and almost ruinous state of affairs."

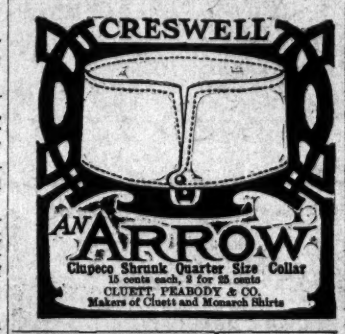
Died Yesterday Afternoon.

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Lillie Heath, wife of Mr. T. E. Heath, a well known Wilmington citizen, which occurred yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence, No. 816 North Fifth street, after a lingering illness with tuberculosis. Mrs. Heath is survived by husband and five children, all young; also her mother and several sisters, all of whom have the sympathy of friends in their sorrow. The funeral will be conducted this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and the interment will be in Bellevue.

GREAT COTTON CONFERENCE

Growers, Manufacturers and Dealers to Meet in Atlanta.

New York, April 9.—An international conference of cotton growers, manufacturers and dealers will be held at Atlanta, Ga., on October 7, 8 and 9 next. This was decided upon today at a meeting in this city of the presidents of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, the Southern Cotton Association, the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association and the Farmers' Union. It was announced that arrangements have been made for an extended tour by special train through the cotton raising districts by the European and American delegates to the conference, in special trains. Invitations will be extended to domestic and foreign associations.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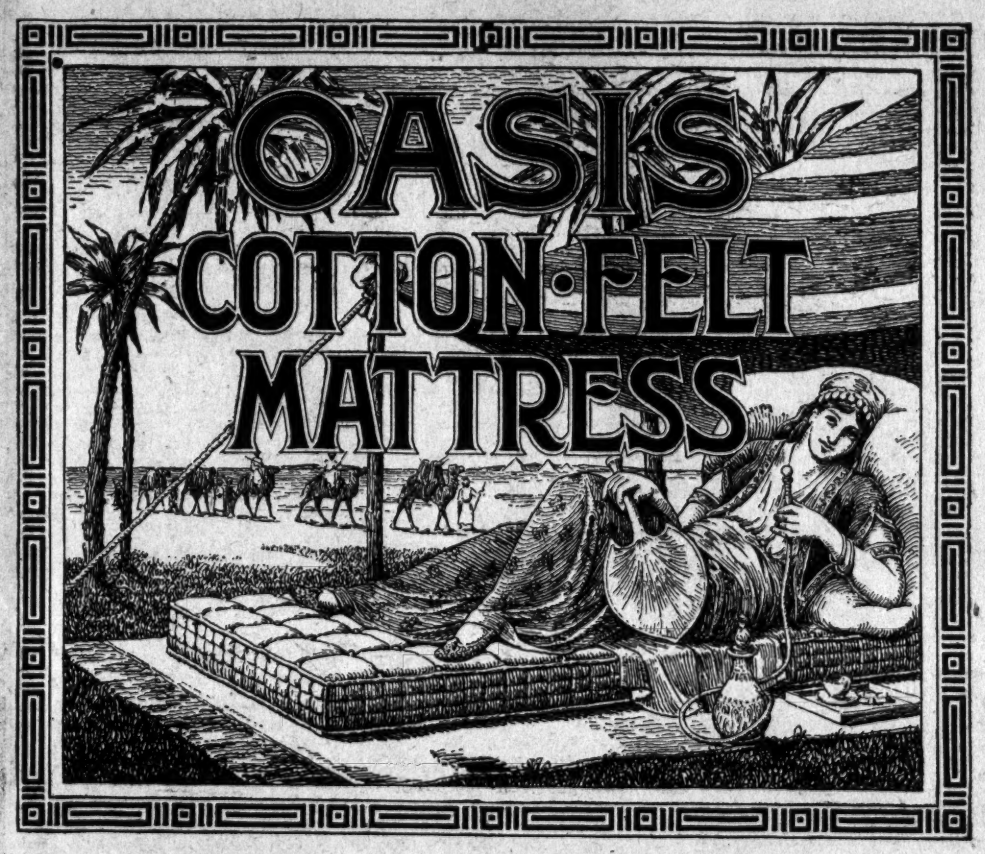

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Mt. Olive, April 8: The Bell Lumber Company, of this place, has just sustained a loss of near $3,000 in the burning of one of its large dry kilns filled with lumber, six miles west of town, with no insurance.

—Raleigh, April 8: There are more rumors that railways intend to test the validity of the recent act of the Legislature reducing passenger fare to 2 1-4 cents. The act provides that the rate shall become effective July 1, but a railway official says he has no idea this will be the case.

—Kinston, April 8: The ladies' mass meeting in the Court House Friday afternoon was an enthusiastic endorsement of the movement to issue bonds for the purpose of raising funds to secure the training school. There was no lack of enthusiasm, and the ladies may be relied upon to do their part toward the accomplishment of the great purpose in hand.

—Tarboro, April 8: Last Tuesday on Mrs. J. W. Powell's Falling Run place, two colored women went fishing in Swift Creek. One of them fell from a steep bank and was drowned in two feet of water. Her hands stuck in the mud, and being a large woman the other one couldn't pull her out, so she ran a mile for assistance, which came too late.

—Teachey, April 8: A young man named Dobson lost his life by a peculiar accident. He had planned to go in a barn on his father's place to shoot rats. They boy had a gun with him and he attempted to mount a ladder in order to reach the top of the barn. While about midway of the ladder, Dobson lost his balance and fell to the floor, not retaining hold of the gun. The weapon was discharged when it came in contact with the floor, and the load from one barrel took effect in the side of the lad. His wound was of such a desperate nature that he died within fifteen minutes.

—Kinston, April 8: At 6 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the class room of the Kinston Practical Business College in the Whitaker building. The damage will amount to between $500 and $10,000. A hole was burned in the second story floor and the ceiling under it and the entire room was charred. Damage by water to the occupants of the first floor and Professor Smith's loss by the fire probably make a total loss by the fire of $2,500. Cobb & Johnson, wholesale grocers and jobbers, estimate their loss at $1,000. A hole was burned in Dr. Whitaker's office, where furniture and books were damaged to some extent.

—Mt. Olive, April 8: Friday night of last week during the commencement exercises of the Colored Graded School here, Jim Bennett, colored, member of a colored string band from Goldsboro, while under the influence of whiskey shot at the engineer of a passing Coast Line freight train. One of the bullets lodged in the wood of the cab near the engineer's head. The negro was arrested by a policeman and placed in the lock-up. He was given a hearing before Mayor Breazeale Saturday afternoon and was fined $25 each in two counts, in default of which he was taken to the county jail at Goldsboro.

—Durham, April 8: On the charge of highway robbery and larceny, Ed. Dunston, colored, was today sent to the higher court and in default of bond was committed to jail. He is charged with robbing another negro, Ed. Cotton, last night, and his plan for robbing was unique if not very wise. Dunston met the Cotton negro and several others, among whom was a Hebrew merchant, in the southern part of the city. Cotton had a lantern. Dunston approached him, told him it was a railroad lantern that he was carrying, that the particular lantern had been stolen and that he was a railroad detective and would place him under arrest. In the meantime Dunston grabbed the lantern, and in the meantime proceeded to go through the pockets of Cotton, securing a watch and $3.50. The trouble between the two attracted others and as these ran up Duntson ran off. He was grabbed by the merchant who held on and in the scuffle the watch of Cotton's dropped from Dunston's pockets. Dunston escaped for the time being. Since then he was arrested and in the Mayor's court this morning was positively identified as the "railroad detective" who had caused the commotion in South Durham.

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Notice of Election and Registration

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1907 session, entitled "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON A SPECIAL COURT TO BE CALLED THE RECORDER'S COURT and prescribing the jurisdiction thereof," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of New Hanover County on the 7th. day of May, 1907, to determine whether the said Recorder's Court shall be established, and to elect a Recorder and a Clerk of said Court. At said election all qualified voters of the County of New Hanover who favor the establishment of said Court shall vote a ballot with "For Recorder's Court" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed to the establishment of said Court shall vote a ballot with "Against Recorder's Court" written or printed thereon.

For the purpoces of the election, as authorized by said Act, a new registration for said election is ordered by the said Board of Commissioners, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards, precincts and townships, and the persons hereinafter named are apponted as REGISTRARS AND JUDGES OF ELECTION in the said wards, precincts and townships, of the County of New Hanover, to-wit:

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP.

POLLING PLACE—Blossom's Store.
Registrar—J. A. Smith.
Judges of Election—W. H. Shearin and J. W. Winders.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP, DELGADO PRECINCT.

POLLING PLACE—Degado Store.
Registrar—J. O. Grimes.
Judges of Election—Bishop Weaver and H. C. Crouch.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP, 7-MILE POST PRECINCT.

POLLING PLACE — Township House.
Registrar—James Shepard.
Judges of Election—J. R. Canady and L. R. Mason.

MASONBORO TOWNSHIP.

POLLING PLACE—Township House
Registrar—J. H. Hollis.
Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and E. A. Orrell.

FEDERAL POINT TOWNSHIP.

POLLING PLACE—Capps' Store.
Registrar Henry Taylor.
Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hank Williams.

WILMINGTON TOWNSHIP.

First Ward—First Division.
POLLING PLACE—Southwest Intersection 4th and Brunswick streets.
Registrar—F. M. Guttenburg.
Judges of Election—J. D. Mote and John Milliken.
First Ward—2nd Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Hall at Sixth and Brunswick streets.
Registrar—Henry G. Harris.
Judges of Election—M. Rathbone and F. W. Kuhl.
First Ward—3rd Precinct.
POLLING PLACE — Hose Reel House Fourth Street Bridge.
Registrar—J. W. Blomme.
Judges of Election—John Barnes and Foster M. Pridgen.
Second Ward.
POLLING PLACE — Old Court House.
Registrar—Frank S. Shepard.
Judges of Election—J. B. Hand and Herman Meredith.
Third Ward.
POLLING PLACE—Giblem Lodge.
Registrar—J. D. Bowen.
Judges of Election—J. F. King and D. D. Lennon.
Fourth ward.
POLLING PLACE—Worth's Ice House.
Registrar—J. L. Boatwright.
Judges of Election—George Davis and S. Siegler.
Fifth Ward—First Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Fifth Ward Hook and Ladder Hall.
Registrar—John W. Gafford.
Judges of Election—J. F. Littleton and L. A. Hewlett.
Fifth Ward—Second Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Engine House at Sixth and Castle streets.
Registrar—J. D. H. Klander.
Judges of Election—W. F. Brittain and J. O. Brown.

The Registration Books of each ward, precinct and township, shall be kept open between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning and sunset on each day, Sundays excepted, for 20 days beginning April 4th, 1907, for the registration of electors; that the said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the Second Saturday before said election, to-wit; the 27th day of April, 1907; that on Saturday the 6th day of April, 1907 and on the 13th, 20 and 27th days of April, the Saturdays thereafter ,registrars shal attend with their books at the polling places of their respective wards, precincts and townships for the registration of voters.

The Registrars shall attend the polling places of their respective wards, precincts and townships with the registration books on Saturday preceeding the election to-wit; the 4th day of May, 1907 between the hours of 9 A. M. and until 3 P. M. when and where the said books shall be open for the inspection of the electors of said wards, precincts and townships and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person on the books.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Honaver County.

This the 23rd day of March, 1907.

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Chairman Board of County Commissioners. mch 26 30t

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	8.45 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.23 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1.49 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	6.05 p m	
Ar Wilson	1.07 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.08 p m	2.31 1 m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.20 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa..		7.10 pm	10.02 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.30 am	1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8.55 am	Ar 8.13 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.55 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

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Ar	p	
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x 7.00 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m,, 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

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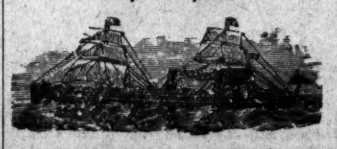

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S. S. Carib.....April 8th
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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, April 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm, $2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $3.50 per barrel for hard, $5.00 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing, rosin nothing doing; tar, firm, $1.80; crude turpentine, firm, $3.25 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	21
Rosin	231
Tar	150
Crude Turpentine	23

Receipts same day last year, 1 cask spirits turpentine; 168 barrels rosin; 160 barrels tar; 46 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 10 3-8.

Some day last year—Steady, 11.

Receipts 248 bales; same day last year 324.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.40 extra prime, $1.45; fancy, $1.50 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—Prime, $1.10; extra prime, $1.15; fancy, $1.19@$1.20; Spanish, $1.25@$1.40.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 15c.

CHICKENS—Firm 15@30 for small grows 35@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 9.—The cotton market was quiet but irregular during today's session at a decline of 5 to 9 points. The sales were estimated at 75,000 bales. The opening was steady at an advance of 4 to 7 points and shortly afterward the active months were 5 to 8 points higher on firmer cables than expected and reports of less favorable weather in the south owing to low temperatures which were accompanied by frost in the central belt, and light precipitation in the eastern belt. The Liberal estimate for tomorrow's receipts at Houston was followed by increased offerings, however, as the trade seemed to place little stress on the talk of unfavorable weather and during the middle session the market ruled dull at about the closing figures of late the previous day. Later there was some selling of May and rumors that the bulls were unloading which started more general pressure against the market and eased prices off to the low point at the close. The first weekly report of the weather bureau for the season was published at midday but had no infiluence on the market. Private cables from Liverpool attributed the advance there to American buying on less favorable crop reports. The British board of trade returns for March showed smaller exports of cotton goods from the United Kingdom than last year but there was a rumor that 100,000 pieces of printcloths had been sold at Fall River at an advance of 1-4c. Southern spot markets were generally unchanged.

Receipts at the ports today were 19,964 bales against 28,959 last week and 26,905 last year. For the week 90,000 bales against 110,127 last week and 115,676 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,981 bales against 7,656 last year and at Houston 4,912 bales against 5,668 bales last year.

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 11.00; middling gulf 11.25; no sales.

Futures closed easy.

Month.	Open.	Close.
April	9.46	9.30
May	9.58	9.45
June		9.50
July	9.68	9.56
August	9.72	9.58
September	9.53	9.59
October	9.94	9.80
November	9.98	9.84
December	10.00	9.98
January	10.17	10.05
February	10.09	10.09

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 10 13-16; net receipts 12,202.

New Orleans—Easy, 10 9-16; net receipts 2,981.

Mobile—Firm, 10 1-4; net receipts 374.

Savannah—Steady, 10 1-4; net receipts 2,655.

Charleston—Firm, 10 1-4; net receipts 84.

Wilmington—Steady 10 3-8; net receipts 248.

Norfolk—Firm, 11; net receipts 994

Baltimore—Nominal, 11; net receipts 177.

New York—Quiet, 11; net receipts 269.

Boston—Quiet, 11; net receipts 157.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.25; net receipts 50.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 19,964; Great Britain 5,017; Continent 12,297; stocks 823,343.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 60,355; Great Britain 22,613; France 2,745; Continent 41,923.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,129,580; Great Britain 3,291,149; France 816,732; Continent 2,930,447; Japan 207,968.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet, 10 13-16; net receipts 4,912.

Augusta—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts 442.

Memphis—Steady, 10 5-8; net receipts 298.

St. Louis—Quiet, 10 3-4; net receipts 606.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 112.

Louisville—Firm, 10 1-2.

Total today, net receipts 10,485; gross receipts 8,880; shipments 9,597; sales 3,553; stocks 283,830.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Liverpool, April 9.—Closing cotton: Spot, good business done, prices 2@6 points higher. American middling, fair, 6.97; good middling, 6.51; middling, 6.05; low middling, 5.73; good ordinary, 5.13; ordinary, 4.75. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,200 American. Receipts, 16,000 bales, including 8,500 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed steady. American middling G. O. C. April, 5.71; April and May, 5.69; May and June, 5.69; June and July, 5.66; July and August, 5.65; August and September, 5.61 1-2; September and October, 5.58 1-2; October and November, 5.55; November and December, 5.54; December and January, 5.54; January and February, 5.55 1-2; February and March, 5.56 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, April 9.—The dry goods market was quiet for the day. Buying for Fall is proceeding steadier than it was a week ago, but the jobbing and retail trade is held back by adverse weather. Export trade is quiet. Cotton yarns are steadier. Fine goods are firm.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, April 9.—Money on call, easy, 1 3-4@3 per cent., ruling rate, 2, closing bid, 1 1-2, offered at 2. Time loans, dull and heavy, sixty days, 4 1-2 and 90 days, 4 3-4@5 per cent; six months, 5. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 6@6 1-2; sterling exchange, heavy with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8540@4.8545 for demand and at 4.8195@4.82 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates, 4.82 1-2@4.83 and 4.86 @4.86 1-2. Commercial bills, 4.91 3-4. Bar silver, 65 1-2. Mexican dollars, 50.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	103 1-2
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	103 1-2
U. S. reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou	103 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg	101
U. S. old 4s cou	101
U. S. new 4s reg	130 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	130 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	73 3-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	106
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	100
Seaboard Air Line 4s	74 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	111 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd	98 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	96 7-8
American Sugar Refining	126
American Tobacco pfd cert	92
Atlantic Coast Line	104
Baltimore & Ohio	101 3-8
Baltimore & Ohio	89
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 1-2
L. & N.	118
New York Central	119 1-8
Norfolk & Western	78
Norfolk & Western pfd	80
People's Gas	93
Reading	110 5-8
Reading 1st pfd	86
Reading 2nd pfd	86
Southern Pacific	84 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	116
Southern Railway	21 3-8
Southern Railway pfd	68
Tenn. Coal & Iron	144
U. S. Steel	38
U. S. Steel pfd	100 1-2
Va-Car Chemical	29
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	104
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	530
Western Union	82 1-4

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, April 9.—Flour steady with light trade.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 82 5-8 elevator. Outions, 3-8 to 1-2 lower. May, 85 5-8; July, 86 1-4; September, 86 1-2.

CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 56 12 elevator. Options, 1-8 net higher. May, 54 1-4; July, 54 1-4.

OATS—Spot, firm; mixed, 47.

LARD—Steady; prime western, 8.90 @9.00; refined, quiet.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Dull.

COTTON SEED OIL—Steady for spot and a shade easier for futures. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 36 1-2@37 1-2; prime summer yellow, 46 1-2; off summer yellow, 42@44; good off summer yellow, 43@44; prime white, 51@53; prime winter yellow, 51.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady.

EGGS—Firm; state Pennsylvania and nearby brown and mixed firsts to extra firsts, 17 1-2@18; western firsts, 17 (official price same); seconds, 16@16 1-2.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS — Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Per barrel, Irish, 1.45 @1.65.

CABBAGES—Weak; domestic ,1.50 @1.75.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Strong; fair refining, 3 5-8; centrifugal, 96 test, 3, 5-8; 3 11-16; molasses sugar, 2 7-8@2 15-16; refined, firm.

COFFEE—Spot, quiet; No. 7 Rio, 7; No. 4 Santos, 8; mild coffee, dull; Cordova, 9@12 1-2. Futures, unchanged to 10 points lower.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, April 9.—Realiizng sales had a weakening effect on the wheat market today, the May delivery closing at a net decline of 3-8@1-2. Corn is up 1-4@3-8. Oats are off 1-8. Provisions show a gain of 12 1-2 to 17 1-2.

Leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 76 3-4@76 7-8; July, 78 7-8@79; September, 80 1-8@80 1-4; December, 81 7-8.

Corn—May, 46 5-8; July, 46 5-8@46 3-4; September, 47 1-4.

Oats—May, 42 3-4; July, 38 1-4; September, 34@34 1-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—May, 16.02 1-2; July, 16.10.

Lard, per 100 pounds—May, 8.75; July, 8.87 1-2; September, 8.97 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—May, 8.55; July, 8.75; September, 8.82 1-2.

Cash quotations closed as follows: Flour, steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 80@83; No. 3, 74@82; No. 2 red, 75 5-8@76 1-2; No. 2 corn, 45 1-2@45 3-4; No. 2 yellow, 46@46 1-2; No. 2 oats, 42 3-8; No. 2 white, 43 1-2; No. 3 white, 40 3-4@42 3-4; No. 2 rye, 66; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.35@8.45; mess pork, per barrel, 16.12 1-2@16.25; lard, per 100 pounds, 8.67 1-2; short clear sides (boxed), 8.75@9.00; whiskey, basis on high wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 9.—Turpentine, steady; rosin, firm, starined common to good, 4.55 to 4.60.

Savnnah, April 9.—Turpentine, firm, 67 1-2; sales, 416; receipts, 359; shipments, 310. Rorin, firm; sales, 600; receipts, 101; shipments, 1,550; stock, 38,250. A, B, C, 4.32 1-2; D, 4.37 1-2; E, 4.40; F, 4.42 1-2; G, 4.45; H, 4.65; I, 4.77 1-2; K, 5.20; M, 5.30; N, 5.45; WG, 5.65; WW, 5.70.

Charleston, April 9.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Wilmington, April 9.

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A. & Y. Railroad—5 casks spirits turpentine; 102 barrels rosin; 92 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—9 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—8 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Bee—7 casks spirits turpentine; 93 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar.

Total—248 bales cotton; 21 casks spirits turpentine; 231 barrels rosin; 150 barrels tar; 23 barrels crude turpentine.

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Pinehurst, N. C.—Conference for Education in the South, April 9th-12th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for the round trip will apply.

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San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.—Imperial Council Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, May 6th-11th, rates based on practically one fare for the round trip will apply from Raleigh, $76.50; Wilmington, $76.50; Charlotte, $76.50.

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THAW VERDICT IS MOST HERE

Attorney Delmas Closed With Powerful Appeal to Jury For Defense.

JURY GETS CASE TO-NIGHT

District Attorney Jerome Will Sum Up for Prosecution To-day—Judge's Charge Will Follow and Curtain Will Fall.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, April 9.—One more day and the concluding chapters of the trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White will have been written into history. With an oratorical appeal to both the written and the "unwritten law" for the justification of his client, Delphin M. Delmas, the California attorney, concluded his exhaustive summing-up address to the jury this afternoon. When court convenes tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock, one hour later than usual, District Attorney Jerome will go before the jury and in a three or four-hour address is expected to make a plea which will be accounted one of the best efforts of his life. Justice Fitzgerald would not say today whether or not he would charge the jury directly following the district attorney's closing remarks, but the general impression is that he will do so. In that event there seems litle doubt that the case will be turned over to the jury by tomorrow evening.

With the exception of the moments when he was reading from the testimony, Mr. Delmas' speech today was one of sustained oratorical effort. He threw about the form of Harry Thaw the cloak of chivalrous knighthood.

"Why," he shouted, "should we who admire the chivalry of the knights of the Middle Ages, who went about redressing wrongs and rescuing maidens in distress, withhold our sympathy from this brave man?"

Bitterly, the attorney again assailed Stanford White. He declared White sought to play with the girl so long as her beauty remained and then would have thrown her away "like a dirty rag to float down life's sewers to a grave in the Potter's field."

Bringing the narrative of his argument down to the events of the night of the tragedy—the 25th of June last—Mr. Delmas told of Thaw and his wife dining at the Cafe Martin with Truxton Beale and Thomas McCaleb.

"Stanford White, by accident or design—time now can never tell why he came into the room where the party sat. Thaw did not see him, but when Stanford White left the place the young woman called for a pencil and wrote a note to her husband, saying "the b——— was here a moment but went out again."

When Thaw read this his first thought was of his wife. He said to her: "Are you all right?" When he received her assurance that she was, he mastered whatever emotions he might have felt at that time, in a public place, and in the presence of his friends, and the incident had no further significance for the time being.

"Thaw had bought four tickets for a roof garden entertainment that evening. He went there with his party, on the way picking up another friend who occupied one of the seats, leaving Mr. Thaw without a seat. He being of a nervous temperament, walked about looking for another seat. This he found beside the witness, who has testified before you and sat there about half an hour. Then he returned to his party, talked about the play and its lack of interest. They left, Mrs. Thaw and Thomas McCaleb in front, Truxton Beale and Thaw following. Mr. Beale saw a friend and stopped to speak to him.

"He left Thaw to proceed on his way alone. Remember at this point, gentlemen, the unbroken testimony of all the witnesses is to the effect that the manner and demeanor of Thaw was perfectly calm and composed, and that he walked quietly down the aisle. When he reached the point of exit, he espied to his right the form of Stanford White. Stanford White was then intently looking at the performance on the stage.

"Mr. Thaw turned, walked slowly and quietly toward him, faced him and fired three shots which caused his death. He then slowly and deliberately, and I wish to call to your attention to this circumstance, apparently slight, but to my mind of the greatest significance, as testified to by Meyer Cohen, who said that as soon as the body of Stanford White had fallen to the ground Thaw turned to the audience, spread out his arms in the shape of a cross and stood composedly there—a circumstance which has not been dwelt upon by the learned experts called as witnesses by the State, but which denotes the character of the execution that took place.

"Mr. Thaw stood as a priest might have stood after some ceremony of sacrificial offering, saying 'All is over,' and dismissing the congregation. He turned his pistol barrel down to indicate to the audience that there was no danger to them. He then walked slowly to where his wife stood and when she said, 'Oh, Harry, what have you done?' he replied, 'It is all right, dearie, I have probably saved your life.' As he said this he stooped and kissed her. When he was disarmed he said, 'He ruined my wife.' When the policeman came, he said, 'He ruined my wife.'

"I have dwelt upon these incidents, gentlemen, to call your attention to the fact that the safety of his wife, whose menace was implied by the very presence of this man, was uppermost in his mind. To him this man who had met the young wife on the street, who had followed her to the doctors, had also followed her to the Cafe Martin and to the roof garden. This was the man who had boasted he would get the young wife away from her husband. So it was that after he had shot, the first great thought that welled up within him in the storm and stress of the moment was that 'at last my wife is safe. I have saved her life.'

"And then when he answered the officer and said 'He has ruined my wife' what was the condition of his mind? What was it when, as he was quietly and peaceably walking down the aisle he turned and saw the hideous form of the man who had been the cause of so much suffering."

With dramatic emphasis Mr. Delmas cried out that when Harry Thaw beheld Stanford White on the Madison Square roof garden the story of his wife's wrong overcame him. He pictured in an instant—as a dying man may picture his past life—all that Stanford White had done—the ruin he had wrought, and he struck, struck as the tigress strikes in defense of her young; struck for the home, struck for American womanhood, struck for humanity—and Stanford White fell.

"Ah, gentlemen," the advocate went on, "if Harry Thaw believed he was the instrument of Providence, who will say he was mistaken?"

Mr. Delmas discussed but briefly the testimony of the expert witnesses, declaring that whatever weight might attach to their utterances was on the side of the defendant. He declared the burden of proof as to Thaw's sanity at the time of the homicide rested with the prosecution which had failed to make out its case. Coming to the question of reasonable doubt, Mr. Delmas said: "Gentlemen, take your minds back to the day you were examined, when the learned justice said to you, 'Are you ready to give this defendant the benefit of every reasonable doubt?' and on your oaths that you were, you were admitted to the jury box.

"Before you send this young man to his doom you must be satisfied of his guilt beyond reasonable doubt.

"What is a reasonable doubt? The term seems to define itself in its own words. A reasonable doubt is a doubt which a reasonable man may have. You are all reasonable men, and whenever you doubt you can say that that is a reasonable doubt, the benefit of which the law says you must give to the defendant. A great English judge once said it is better that ninety-nine guilty men should escape rather than that one innocent man should be punished. If there is one chance in a hundred that this defendant was of such unsound mind as not to know the nature of his act, then you must give him the benefit of that doubt.

"I ask you in the name of the law which I invoke, I ask you in the name of humanity; I ask you in the name of religion, to resolve whatever doubt you may have in favor of this defendant."

It was in discussing Thaw's mental state that Mr. Delmas came at last to the "unwritten law."

"The district attorney will make light of the experts because they have not defined the species of insanity from which they say Harry Thaw is suffering," he declared.

"I will suggest its name; I would call it 'dementia Americana.' It is a species of insanity which has been recognized in every State of this Union. It is that species of insanity which makes the American man believe his home, his wife, his daughters are sacred, and that whosoever stains the virtue of his threshold violates the highest of human laws. It is a species of insanity which has been recognized in every State of this Union—from Canada to Mexico—from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

"Ah, gentlemen," said Mr. Delmas dramatically, turning to the alienists who testified for the prosecution, "if you desire a name for this species of insanity let me suggest it—call it dementia Americana.

"That is the species of insanity which makes every American man believe his home to be sacred. That is species of insanity which makes him believe the honor of his daughter is sacred; that is the species of insanity which makes him believe the honor of his wife is sacred; that is the species of insanity which makes him believe that whosoever invades his home, that whosoever stains the virtue of his threshold, has violated the highest of human laws and must appeal to the mercy of God, if mercy there be for him anywhere in the universe.

"That is the species of insanity which has been recognized by the courts in the cases of ——."

Mr. Garvan was on his feet with an objection, saying that the argument was taking too wide a range.

"You understand," said Justice Fitzgerald to Mr. Delmas.

"The latter waved his hand and turned again to the jury.

"Remember, gentlemen, the law is a human law. I violate no law when I ask to take the oldest of all laws—the Golden law—the law that is at the foundation of fall laws—'Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

"Do not send this young man to death for what he did.

"I now, with all solemnity, leave in your hands the fate of Harry K. Thaw."

Thaw arose from his chair, went to where his mother and wife were sitting, grasped their hands confidently and then with head erect made his way to the prisoner's pen and across the bridge of sighs, his prison guard following close behind him.

Thaw believes his case to be won and freely expressed himself to his counsel

An adjournment was ordered by Justice Fitzgerald until 11:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, when District Attorney Jerome, who was not in the court room at any stage of today's proceedings, will begin his summing-up speech. The case should be in the hands of the jury tomorrow evening.

In view of the district attorney's remarks, before the lunacy commission that Thaw is today hopelessly insane, much interest attaches to the line of argument he will pursue in asking for the man's conviction.

THE CONFERENCE FOR EDUCATION

This Important Body Holding This Years Meeting at Pinehurst, N. C.

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President Ogden Absent and Sent Resignation—Stong Address by President of University of Chicago.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Pinehurst, N. C., April 9.—With an attendance somewhat reduced as compared with previous meetings, the tenth annual conference for education in the South was formally opened here today, by the election of Dr. S. C. Mitchell, of Richmond, Va., to act as president pro tem, in the absence of President Robert C. Ogden, of New York, who was prevented from attending the meeting on account of illness. The address of welcome on behalf of the State of North Carolina was delivered by Governor Glenn, to which Dr. Mitchell responded.

The principal feature of the morning session was the reading by President Alderman, of the University of Virginia, of a paper on the "Southern Education Board," prepared by Edgar Gardner Murphy, of Montgomery, Ala., secretary of the board. Mr. Murphy reviewed the work accomplished by the board in the last decade and discussed the educational situation in the South as a whole.

A message from President Ogden addressed to the conference that another be elected president of the conference was read by Dr. Mitchell. The letter follows:

"It is a painful and unwelcome task to give you official notice that it will be impossible for me to attend the tenth conference for education in the South. In my judgment the present conference should take rank far above any of its predecessors in the creation of ideals in the formulation of policies that in turn should influence every State represented, to gather enthusiasm and larger efficiency.

"My personal disappointment, because of present limitations, is proportionate to my faith and hope in what will be accomplished on the present occasion. Extraordinary progress in many directions is full of inspirations. The great undone margin is a challenge to patriotic self-sacrifice and lofty endeavor. In the presence of the ability, conscience and devotion represented in the conference, a president's message would be superfluous. Allow me to suggest that the present is an opportune time for one to retire from the office the conference has honored me with for so many years."

The conference sent this greeting to President Ogden:

"The conference for education in the South sends affectionate greetings to its president, with sincere wishes for his speedy restoration. Our meeting is a great success, both in numbers and spirit. All regret your enforced absence. Your spirit leads."

Joseph S. Stewart, of Athens, Ga., was elected temporary secretary.

"Education by the State for the State," was the subject of an address tonight by Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, president of the University of Chicago, who advocated that some agreement should be reached as to the disbursement of money collected by taxation for public education. Dr. Judson declared that to justify education at public expense "young men would first show an inclination to earn an honest living by honest work."

Dr. Judson believed that poverty to a great extent is responsible for the great social questions and that a "good deal of what passes for laziness comes mainly from conscious unfitness."

In discussing the duties of the State to the children, Dr. Judson said:

"Duty and wisdom alike dictate that the State should see to it that no default of the family should wreck the fair prospects of its future men and women."

The conference adopted a resolution of respect to the memory of the late Dr. Charles McIver, the late president of the North Carolina State Normal and Industrial College.

BASE BALL.

Birmingham, April 9.—The Southern League season was opened here today when Birmingham defeated Atlanta by a score of 7 to 4. The raising of the pennant won by Birmingham last season was the feature of the exercises preceding the opening of the game.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston: Charleston, 6; Macon, 8.

At Savannah: Savannah, 2; Augusta, 1.

At Jacksonville: Jacksonville, 1; Columbia, 0.

Other Games.

At Greesboro: Davidson College, 4; George Washington, 3.

At Durahm: Trinity College, 13; Virginia Polytechnic, 0.

"Pneumonia's Deadly Work

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The Postoffice Department has informed Postmasters throughout the country that the special series of stamps to commemorate the founding of Jamestown will be issued beginning April 15 for sale to the public during the term of the Jamestown Exposition from April 26 to November 30, 1907.

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